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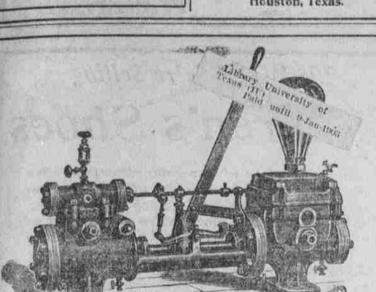
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AT SALISBURY.

Salisbury, N. C., September D.-President Roosevelt arrived here at 6:20 o'clock this

evening on the way to Washington and was

welcomed by a large crowd. The run from

Asheville through the mountains was

At Connelly Springs the president also

STRIKE IS STILL ON.

President Mitchell Denied That Nego-tiations Had Been Concluded.

Witkesbarre, Pa., September &.-President

John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers

I have received no proposition from the

papers. The strike is still on and will re-

TROUBLE FOR GERMANY.

Admiral Killick and Two Officers Re-ported Sunk With Warship,

Washington, September 5.- Mr. Powell

United States minister to Haytf, has cabled

that Admiral Killick and two of his efficers

tion; down with the Crete a Placent, re-

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St. Louis Is Mightly Stirred Over the Bribery Cases

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Result Is That Many Prominent Men Are Jailed.

FEARFUL OATH OF THE DELEGATES :

Each Bribe-Taker Was Sworn to Secrecy With a Death Penalty for Revelation of Same.

St. Lonis. Sentember 9. - When Judge Douglass adjourned couri tanight seven t the nineteen members of the alleged buodle combine of the house of delegates were still at large and the police and deputy sheriffs are using their best efforts to find them. Developments in the famous case began early and throughout the day came with startling rapidity.

The most important feature of the day's Electric and Machinery Co. dictments against eighteen members of the In addition to the charge of bribery and perfury to connection with the suburban street rallroad deal, the member additional indictments charging bribers These were found by the jusy before which J. K. Murrell testified today as to he city lighting senndal of 1900, in which sich member of the "combine" is said to-

> Bonds were fixed at \$15,000 for each indictment, making a total of \$45,000 necessary to be secured for the gelenno of any of the neessed.

Early in the day, former Delegates J. The President Was Greeted by Ten H. Schnettler, John Helms, Otto Schomacher and Charles Gutke and Delegate J. J. Hannigan, who spent the night at deputy sheriffs, were locked up in jail be TALKED ON BROTHERHOOD OF MAN cause of their fallure to secure bonds. Charles Gutke was later released in bonds of \$30,000 on the first two indictments. At Hickory He Said That He Had but was soon rearrested on the bribery indictments returned today and is still it custody, having falled to secure additional surety,

BUTLER ON THE BONDS. Asherille, N. C., September 2.-Asheville Ex-Delegate Burseh was taken into extended a warm greeting to President custody some time during the forences, but was soon liberated, Ed Butler, a wealthy in the '70s and said he believed that never rupled the court house against where the local politician, signing his hond to the pefore, with that exception, had corrup-president addressed them from an impro-summent of \$45,000. Butler also went surety tion in public office held such sway as it and former Delegate T. E. Albright.

im to speak before the menument of

the suburban case. He was out pending Thus far, said Mr. Folk, the fight has been an appeal, when Attorney Folk's larest mainly against the bribe taker, but evidence bombshell burst. Ex-Speaker of the House is being second that will be used to bring of Delegates William Tamblyn, who has justice to the giver. been in Cleveland, Ohio, since Circuit Attorney Folk began his crusade, will return to St. Louis, having been arrested there today. Former Delegate Adolph Madera is somewhere in Colorado, where the authorities are searching for him at the request of St. Louis officials. Ex-Speaker John K. Murrell, Delegate Ed E. Murrell and former Delegate George F. Robertson have turned State's evidence and are where Circult Attorney Folk can find them when

OATH OF THE BOODLERS.

At Connelly Springs the president also made a short address, thanking the people for their greetlings. One of the argest erowds encountered on the run from Asheville was at Hickory. The president was introduced by Seaster Pritchard, who accompanied him from Asheville, and the short speech he made to the people was enthusiastically received. He said: "Traveling today through North Carolina and yesterday through Tennessee, I have been struck by the evidences of industrial growin of which this town is itself an example. The industrial awakening of the South, of which there have been so many evidences outing the past few years, is a feature fraught with great benefit (o the South and to the entire sountry. (Applance). "I half your industrial growth. I half the manifestation I see here in this State and which I saw yearcriday in Tennessee, the manifestation of the rapid approach of the perise of treesedous industrial development in the South, I half it for the sake of the South and I half it for the sake of the South and I half it for the sake of the South and I half it for the sake of the South and I half it for the sake of the South and I half it for the sake of the south." It developed today that an oath was noninistered to each of the nineteen members of the combine whose identity was disclosed by the confession of J. K. Murrell yesterday. A copy of the oath has been given to Circuit Attorney Folk and the grand jury. It is as follows: "I do solumnly awear before Altotgary

God that in associating myself and becoming a member of this combine I will vot- and act with the combine whenever and wherever I may be ordered to do so. "And I further solemnly swear that I strike, will not, at any pince or time reveal tue fact that there is a combine and that i will not communicate to any person or persons anything that may take place at any of America tonight deuted in the most emmeeting of the combine.

phatte terms that the coni miners' strike "And I do solvinsly sgree that in case I should reveal the fact that any person in this combine has received money, I hereby permit and authorize other members of terms," he said, "that the strike is still onthis combine to take the forfelt of my life such mannet as they may deem proper and that my throat may be cut, my tengor form out and my body cast into the Misdadppl river.

"And all of this I do solemnly awear, so brip me Gou.

John K. Murrell's statement that the house combine of thou-limb, of which ne was a member, secepted bribes of \$2300 each for their votes on the irgning bu or 1988), made the lighting accordal the chief topic of investigation by the grang

ATTORNEY FOLK CONFIDENT. Circult Attorney Folk is confident that very keen will be made complete by the council combine of 1890-1600, for which Charies Krata was business agent.

Krata has opened negoriations looking to ently sunk near Cape Haytien by the ward his return from Mexico, but the cir-

PRESIDENT ON STRIKE.

He Would Be Glad to Ald in the Settlement by Arbitration. Cincinnati, September 2 -- A guest of President Roosevelf Guring his trip through Ohlo, when nexed if the

subject of the settlement of the Pennsylvania coat strike was our cussed, and it was, the president said that the printed inserview with him on that subject ww imagina The guest of the prestorest tive. went on to say that no man depletes the present condition mere than the

president, but he does not see elearly how he could take any part in an justing the differences. At & propesed that he shall act becau

Any interference on his part, exopt by request of both parties. would be construed into a threat to use the great power of his otnes to coerce one side or the other. Ir that were really so, the action womin be interference and not arbitration if both sides should make the request that the president should select an arbitration committee, ne would be gind to do so, but he could not give his personal time to in such a request should be made with the end that the miners should be permitted to return to work pending the finding of the committee, the finding to be effective from the time the men went to work, the president would be glad to actest such a cons-

United hoth sides make the quest voluntarily he will not feet at liberty to interfere in the unit-

mittee

cult attorney believes the needed evidence

According to his confession: Murrell was he go-between of the boudding members and the representatives of the corporations seeking franchises. Although Murrell has have received \$2500 in payment for his made a full confession of his connection services in securing the passage of the with bootling schomes in the house of dicating many of his colleagues, there are ther deals in which he and they were concorned in which prosecution is barred by the statute of limitation.

Morrell's testimony today, therefore, while confined mainly to the methods by which the city lighting bill passed the nunicipal assembly, also dealt with other measures that had come before the bed! result some sensational indictments are looked for before the end of the week

PIGITE AGAINST COMBINE Circuit Attorney Folk when seen this verling expressed satisfaction at the progress being made in the fight for pure goverament in St. Louis. He compared the present expose to that of the Tweed ring believed the authorities were in a fate way he late Senator Vane, which was near the to filing an additional bond of \$15,000, but upon the public office as a place for perthe late Senator Vane, which was near the stand. He was glas, he said, to meet people whose ferefathers had fought under Marion, glad to be greeted by men who served in the Confederate army.

"We need good laws," said the president, and we need an arman and sheriff's deputies are still leoking for Delegate Charles J. Kelly, former Delegate Char

PLAN FOR SETTLEMENT.

North American Says Morgan Has Assented to Terms Philadelphia, September 10.-The North

American this morning says that J. P. Moras unjust, then the men can again go on

The paper also says that Governor Stone immediately telegraphed President Mitchell will probably take place tomorrow.

Big Traction Purchase. Trenton, N. J., September 9. - It is reorted here on good authority that Samuel

bemas and Edwin Gould have purchased the North Jersey Street Rallway company, the Jersey City, Hobokes and Paterson traction company and the Central New Jersey Traction company and that the nanagement of the three roads will be consolidated.

FAILED TO SETTLE

Governor Stone's Visit to New York Was Fruitless.

THE STRIKE IS STILL ON

Conference With J. P. Morgan & Co. Accomplished Nothing.

MORGAN WOULD NOT INTERFERE

Action at the Meeting Would Not Be Discussed.

MEN MUST YIELD UNCONDITIONALLY

Recourse is Left to the Strikers but to Come to the Terms of the Operators.

New York, September 9 .- Generale W. Stone of Pennsylvania, who a city and made an affort during the to see what could be done turned as g the ambracke cost stell, returned thurshourg tenical without appearantly taxing been able to accomplish a series

There were cumors affect that the they onight that there was any can tention. Word to the same received by long-flatance temphone President Timesalate of the Deinware, Lackanna and Western railroad, who runsylvania and Secretary Picini several hours duration with .P. A. B. Widener of Philadelphia in the offices of

the United States Steel corporation. After the conference had tested as hear, Mr. Widener went to see J. P. Mickan at the latter's office and asked him to use h's. influence to end the strike. Ten minutes later he returned to his fellow-conferred and told them that Mr. Mergan had declined to interfere.

GOVERNOR STONE'S STATEMENT. Before leaving the city Governor Stone gave out the following statement:

"Attorney General Elkin, Secretary Flynn and myself have been in sultation for several hours with P. A. H. Widener of Philadelphia, who is a direct of of the United States Steel corporation and associated with Mr. Morgan in many business interests. Mr. Widener is very anxlous to see the strike settled and today took the matter up with Mr. Morgan. We are deing what we can.'

Governor Stone was usked what progress toward a sattlement had been made during In the sum for Delegate Charles J. Deaney had here during the past few years. He munication had been had from Mr. Merthe conference and whether any direct comthese questions he answered that ie had nothing to say beyond what was contained in his statement and that the other parties to the conference and also been pledged to slience.

MORGAN BAYS NOTHING. George W. Perkins, speaking for J. P. Morgan & Co., sald tonight:

"We have no comment to make on Gov-ernor Stone's statement. We have received no official statement as to what cecurred at the conference, nor have we heard from Governor Stone since the conference was closed. Nor have we anything to say on the strike situation."

President George F. Baer of the Philadelphia and Reading, President W. H. Truesdale of the Delaware. Lackawanna and Western and President Thomas H. Fowler of the New York, Ontarlo and Western had an informal conference, After it was over President Fowler said that the situation had been gone over thoroughly in an informal way.

Mr. Fowler emphatically declared that there was no change in the attitude of the operators and that nothing could end the strike but the unconditional surrender of the striking anthracite miners.

Later in the day, when Governor Stone's statement was submitted to President Fowler, he sent out word through his secretary that he had no comment to make on the statement and did not even care to learn of its contents. President Baer went back to Philadelphia.

Strike in the Territory Mines. Denison, Texas, September 9.-The coal

mines at Lenigh, Conlgate and Midway, Choctaw Nation, which have been employng members of the United Mine Workers of America, are tied up on account of a strike of the union mine workers for an advance of pay. The scale agreed to he-tween the miners and operators last year was 60 cents a ton. The scale expired September 1 of this year and the miners september 1 of this year and to consensuate a maked for an increase of 5 cents per too, which the operators refused to pay, and the miners waited out, tying up the union mines for the present, or until such that as a new schedule can be made. The mines affected are those of the McDougail come pany Perry Bros. and the Midway Coal company. About 600 men are out on the atrike.

Port Arthur

Port Arthur, Texas, September 9, Charced: Steamer Paragun; (Am.), 5 billadelphila; steamer Affas and barger Am.), for New York, Artived; Fun Kol and barge Pendleton, from New Criticans.

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